UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
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JAE SOON JUNG,	

Plaintiff,

<u>ORDER</u> 16-CV-4764 (RRM)

- against -

LORETTA LYNCH, Attorney General of the United States and U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services,

Defendant.						
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ROSLYNN R.	MAUSKOPF,	Chief United	States	District.	Judge	

On August 25, 2016, plaintiff Jae Soon Jung petitioned this Court for a writ of mandamus, seeking to compel defendants to adjudicate her application for T Nonimmigrant status. (Compl. (Doc. No. 1).) On June 8, 2017, defendants filed a request for a pre-motion conference ("PMC") in anticipation of filing a motion to dismiss this action as moot. (PMC Letter (Doc. No. 11).) The PMC Request explained that the USCIS had issued a decision on plaintiff's application. (*Id.* at 2.) The Court ordered plaintiff to respond to the PMC Request by October 17, 2017, (Order of 10/10/2017), but plaintiff failed to do so.

On October 20, 2017, the Court issued an order directing plaintiff to show cause in writing by November 10, 2017, why this case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute or failure to comply with court orders pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b). (Order of 10/20/2017.) The Court warned plaintiff that the Court would likely dismiss the action if she failed to comply with the Order. (*Id.*) The Court further ordered defendants to serve a copy of the Order and to file a declaration of service on the docket. (*Id.*) That same day, defendants

filed a declaration of service stating that they served the Court's October 20, 2017, Order on

counsel for plaintiff. (Declaration of Service (Doc. No. 12).) Again, plaintiff did not respond.

On February 27, 2018, the Court issued another order directing plaintiff to show cause in

writing by March 9, 2018, why this case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute or

failure to comply with court orders pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b). (Order of

2/27/2018.) The Court again warned plaintiff that the Court would likely dismiss the action if

she failed to comply with the Order. (Id.) The Court further ordered defendants to serve a copy

of the Order and file a declaration of service on the docket. (Id.) That same day, defendants

filed a declaration of service stating that they served the Court's February 27, 2018, Order on

counsel for plaintiff. (Declaration of Service (Doc. No. 13).) To date, plaintiff has not shown

cause in writing why the complaint should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute or failure to

comply with court orders.

As plaintiff has not filed a response to either of the Court's Orders to Show Cause and the

time for her to do so has expired, the complaint is dismissed for failure to prosecute. The Clerk

of Court is respectfully directed to enter judgment in favor of defendant and to close this case.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: Brooklyn, New York

January 11, 2021

Roslynn R. Mauskopf

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Chief United States District Judge

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